

The Oasis

Saturday, July 15, 1899.

HIDES AND HORNS.

Range News: Thos. Steele is moving his horses from Sulphur Spring valley to Rock creek in the Chiricahua. His herd numbers about 200.

Star: John Reilly, the cattleman of Bakersfield, expects to ship shortly about eighteen cars of cattle to California. The cars are already in the yard.

Range News: B. K. Riggs and Joe Schaffer succeeded in capturing two bears in the Chiricahua mountains last week. They caught one in a trap and killed the other.

Range News: A. M. Hellner, after delivering a good sized bunch of cattle to Ryan Bros. representative, returned home last Thursday. His health is considerably improved.

Range News: B. Riggs and son, J. J. Riggs, drove in from Brannick Thursday morning. They say that some good rains have fallen in the mountains recently. Pinery cañon ran for the first time during the season.

Range News: Burt Dunlap left Friday night for Denver with a shipment of cattle, which will probably be his last for this season. His family followed on the morning train and will spend a week or two with him in Denver before continuing their journey east.

Range News: Henry H. Young arrived at his home, Dudleville, last Tuesday. B. R. Young, his father, is at home on the San Pedro. It is reported that Mr. Henry H. Young is contemplating moving his entire herd of cattle to his ranch in Gila county.

Range News: Oliver Swingle and his two sons, George and Charley, from the San Pedro, took forty head of fat steers to Wm. Sidow of the Pioneer butcher shop, Globe. Mr. Swingle is an old settler on the San Pedro and has a good pasture of alfalfa to fatten cattle on.

Winslow Mail: Al Naile came in Sunday after supplies. He had slipped a cog in his time account. Thought it was Saturday until he arrived in town and found the stores all closed. Got his supplies, however, and returned to camp. He proposes shipping five or six cars of beef cattle to Denver in a few days.

Range News: Mrs. Fred Ruch, widow of the lamented San Simon stockman, is now on her way home from Pittsburg, Pa., where she has been staying with friends. After making brief visits in Ohio and Colorado she will return to her ranch, which during her absence has been under the able management of Mr. Walter Birchfield.

Range News: Mr. Warren Dunlap who went to Denver recently with a shipment of cattle from the Aravaipa herds, reports the killing of a man, who was assisting in the unloading, by one of the bulls. The animal lagged, and when goaded, turned upon the man and with a lunge pinioned him to the heavy yard fence. The horn penetrated the unfortunate man's thigh, which resulted in death the following evening.

Range News: For some time past Mr. J. B. Parks, foreman for Capt. W. H. McKittrick, has been preparing a new watering place for his cattle. The place is about ten miles northeast of the home ranch and near the old Fort Grant Point of Mountain road. Water was obtained at about 25 feet and a powerful gasoline en-

gine has been installed to furnish motive power. A windmill will also do duty when conditions are favorable. After setting the engine, Mr. Parks last week made a trip to San Simon to look at a similar engine there. The new watering place affords access to a large area of new range, which heretofore the cattle have been unable to reach on account of the distance to water.

Globe Belt: Fred H. Powers was in town this week from his mountain ranch in Greenback valley. He informs us that the present season is the most favorable to livestock that the Tonto country has enjoyed in many years. Cattle are in good condition and the increase has been large, largely due no doubt to Florence Packard's success in killing mountain lions and other predatory animals which decimate the herds. Several good rains fell in Greenback last month, and the last storm, a few days before Mr. Powers left home, was accompanied by hail and heavy wind which did some damage.

DESERT LAND, FINAL PROOF—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Republication.
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
TUCSON, ARIZONA, May 2, 1899.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Sabino Otero, of Tucson, Arizona, administrator of the estate of Clara M. Otero, deceased, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 245, for $\frac{1}{2}$ of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 6, and so much of Sec. 5 as lies on the western exterior boundary of the S. Otero private land claim and aggregating 40 acres, all in T. 21 S., R. 14 E., G. and S. R. B. and M., being a total of 160 acres, before the register and receiver at Tucson, Arizona, on Tuesday the 18th day of July, 1899.
He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:
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